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## EPIDEMIOLOGIC NOTES

## INFLUENZA

Within the past week, notifications of focal outbreaks of influenza-like illnesses have been received from New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, and Pennsylvania. Serological confirmations of influenza A<sub>2</sub> infection have been completed in the former two States but no virus isolations have yet resulted from laboratory studies. Generally, the outbreaks have been scattered. While at times involving a substantial number of school aged

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individuals, there has been little evidence in current epidemiological comment of spread to adults.

Accounts of the recent experiences in these four States are printed on pages 26 and 27. Other States in the Middle Atlantic and New England divisions have not reported similar findings.

Table 1. CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES  
(Cumulative totals include revised and delayed reports through previous weeks)

| Disease   | 3rd Week Ended      |                     | Median<br>1960 - 1964 | Cumulative, First 3 Weeks |        |                       |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------|-----------------------|
|   | January 23,<br>1965 | January 18,<br>1964 |                       | 1965                      | 1964   | Median<br>1960 - 1964 |
| Aseptic meningitis . . . . .                              | 32                  | 41                  | 24                    | 100                       | 90     | 79                    |
| Brucellosis . . . . .                                     | 7                   | 3                   | 7                     | 17                        | 10     | 21                    |
| Diphtheria . . . . .                                      | 3                   | 2                   | 5                     | 12                        | 11     | 40                    |
| Encephalitis, primary infectious . . . . .                | 25                  | 19                  | ---                   | 90                        | 80     | ---                   |
| Encephalitis, post-infectious . . . . .                   | 10                  | 5                   | ---                   | 34                        | 19     | ---                   |
| Hepatitis, infectious including serum hepatitis . . . . . | 770                 | 872                 | 1,183                 | 2,254                     | 2,366  | 2,967                 |
| Measles . . . . .   | 6,805               | 5,946               | 8,095                 | 18,754                    | 14,819 | 21,112                |
| Meningococcal infections . . . . .                        | 71                  | 62                  | 62                    | 198                       | 155    | 157                   |
| Poliomyelitis, Total . . . . .                            | -                   | -                   | 8                     | -                         | 1      | 27                    |
| Paralytic . . . . .                                       | -                   | -                   | 5                     | -                         | -      | 15                    |
| Nonparalytic . . . . .                                    | -                   | -                   | ---                   | -                         | 1      | ---                   |
| Unspecified . . . . .                                     | -                   | -                   | ---                   | -                         | -      | ---                   |
| Streptococcal Sore Throat and Scarlet fever . . . . .     | 9,541               | 8,141               | 8,508                 | 28,139                    | 23,685 | 23,546                |
| Tetanus . . . . .   | 3                   | 6                   | ---                   | 11                        | 15     | ---                   |
| Tularemia . . . . .                                       | 11                  | 13                  | ---                   | 24                        | 29     | ---                   |
| Typhoid fever . . . . .                                   | 9                   | 7                   | 8                     | 13                        | 16     | 16                    |
| Rabies in Animals . . . . .                               | 93                  | 44                  | 57                    | 273                       | 163    | 163                   |

Table 2. NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

|                        | Cum. |                           |           | Cum. |
|------------------------|------|---------------------------|-----------|------|
|                        |      | Rabies in Man:            | Smallpox: |      |
| Anthrax:               | 1    |                           |           | -    |
| Botulism:              | -    |                           |           | -    |
| Leptospirosis:         | -    |                           |           | 1    |
| Malaria:               | -    |                           |           |      |
| Plague:                | -    |                           |           |      |
| Psilacoccosis: Ga. - 1 | 1    | Murine:                   |           | -    |
|                        |      | Rky. Mt. Spotted: Ga. - 1 |           | 3    |

## **INFLUENZA – State Reports**

## New Jersey

Focal outbreaks of febrile respiratory disease were observed among residents of two institutions from approximately middle January: At a State training school for boys, cases with clinical characteristics of influenza were studied in the State Laboratory. Three of five acute-convalescent serum pairs demonstrated substantial titer rises to influenza A<sub>2</sub>. A similar clinical illness among some 12-15 percent of patients on two of 13 wards in a large psychiatric hospital is currently being investigated but no laboratory documentation is available presently.

Elsewhere in the State there have been reports of respiratory illnesses contributing to increased absenteeism in schools and perhaps industries although this information has not been fully substantiated on initial survey.

(Reported by Dr. William J. Dougherty, Director, Preventive Disease Control and Dr. Martin Goldfield, Director, Laboratories, New Jersey State Department of Health.)

## **Connecticut**

From middle to late December 1964, moderate amounts of respiratory illness were noted in eastern Connecticut. In more recent weeks, presumably the same disease has been responsible for up to 20 percent school absenteeism in scattered areas over the State. There is little evidence of progression at the present time.

Diagnostic antibody titer rises to influenza A<sub>2</sub> have recently been described in paired serum specimens sub-

mitted from nine different geographical regions in the State.

(Reported by Dr. James C. Hart, Director, Preventable Diseases and Mr. Earle K. Borman, Director, Laboratory Services, Connecticut State Department of Health.)

## Massachusetts

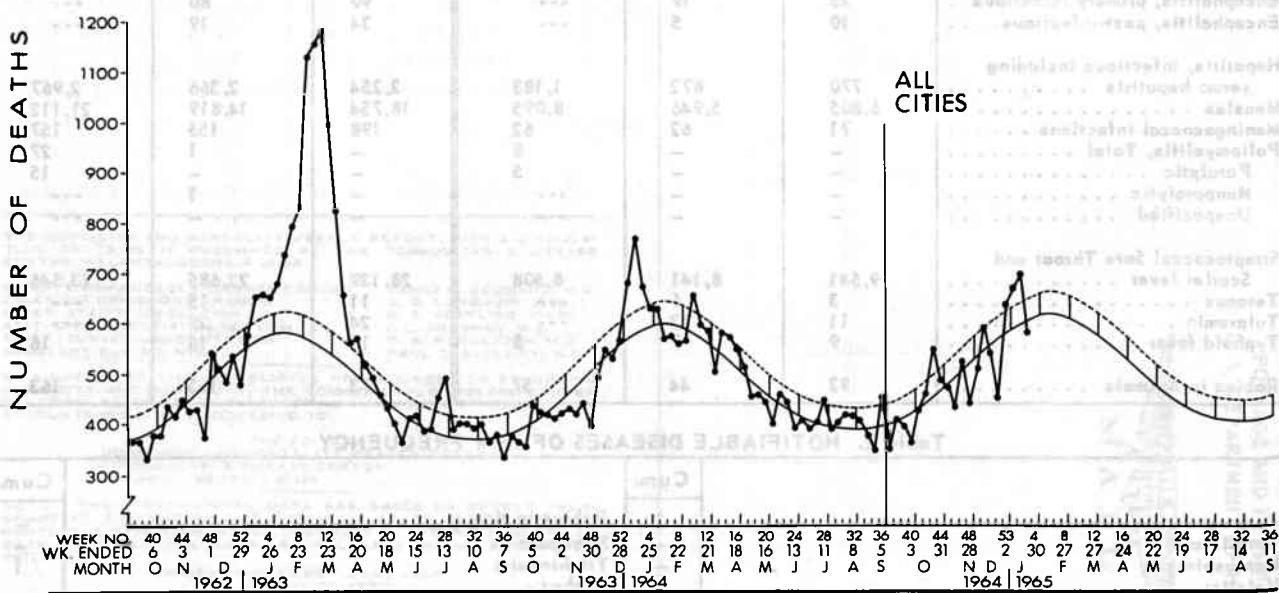
Scattered outbreaks of an influenza-like illness affecting predominantly school children have been reported from some six communities in the eastern half of the State during the past 1-2 weeks. In Clinton, one of the first towns to be affected, absenteeism in a junior-senior high school reached nearly 30 percent at its peak. The illness, characterized by headache, arthralgias, fever up to 103°, cough, and lacrimation has not been reported as affecting large numbers of adults. Clinical specimens representative of the major geographical foci are being processed in the State Virus Laboratory.

(Reported by Dr. Nicholas J. Fiumara, Director, Communicable Diseases, Massachusetts Department of Public Health.)

## Pennsylvania

Rapid appearance of febrile respiratory disease in Allegheny County (Southwest Pennsylvania) during recent weeks resulted in daily school absenteeism rising to 20-40

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percent in some instances. The clinical illness is described as "influenza-like" although laboratory tests have not yet demonstrated the etiological agent.

In one large high school, it is estimated that perhaps one-half of the 2000 students reported respiratory illnesses during the past week. Noteworthy is the observation

that none of the 60 members of the school's football squad having received commercial influenza vaccine in the fall of 1964 was ill during this time.

(Reported by Dr. Edwin Brown, Allegheny County Epidemiologist and EIS Officer assigned to the County Health Department.)

#### ANTIMONY POISONING — Virginia

Twenty persons experienced nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain and varying degrees of prostration 15-45 minutes after drinking punch poured from a large gray "granite" enamelware coffee pot while attending an annual church-school meeting in a Virginia community. Cherry juice, powdered citric acid mix, sugar, saccharin, and lemon juice concentrate were mixed in a 2-gallon gray enamelware coffee pot, and stored in a refrigerator for 24 hours.

Children attending Bible classes were served cookies and punch by age groups in the order of Kindergarten, Primary, Junior and Junior High. The Nursery group was not served because others were already becoming ill by the time their turn arrived. Cases occurred as follows within each group:

| <u>Classes by order<br/>Of Serving</u> | <u>Pupils</u> |            | <u>Teachers</u> |            |
|--|---------------|------------|-----------------|------------|
|  | <u>Total</u>  | <u>Ill</u> | <u>Total</u>    | <u>Ill</u> |
| Kindergarten                           | 17            | 9          | 3               | 0          |
| Primary                                | 13            | 10         | 3               | 1          |
| Junior                                 | 9             | 0          | 3               | 0          |
| Junior High                            | 5             | 0          | 1               | 0          |
| Nursery *                              | 8             | 0          | 1               | 0          |
|  | 52            | 19         | 11              | 1          |

\* Did not receive punch.

The small quantity of remaining punch, negative for the usual bacteriological pathogens, had a pH of 4.6 and a positive qualitative test for antimony. Simulated punch made up in the laboratory in the same coffee pot using the

same ingredients and refrigerated for the same length of time showed a pH of 4.6 and a concentration of antimony of eleven (11) parts per million or 0.325 mg per ounce. The punch was served in 3 oz. cups and most drank only one serving.

Recovery was prompt and uneventful. It is noted that of the groups who drank the punch, only the first 2 groups were affected; none of the older children (Junior and Junior High) were ill and only one of the 11 teachers. In an effort to explain this phenomenon, consideration was given to the possibility of varying concentrations of antimony at different levels due to settling. However, samples taken at different levels in the pot of simulated punch did not show any appreciable variation. Virginia State Health authorities postulate that at this low concentration of antimony the smaller body weight of the younger group may have been significant to the development of disease.

Notably, a similar episode occurred the previous year during this annual church-school meeting.

(Reported by Dr. J.B. Kenley, Director, Bureau of Epidemiology, Virginia State Department of Health; Dr. Andrew F. Scheele, Director, Prince William County Health Department; Mr. W. French Skinner, Director, Bureau of Laboratories, Virginia State Department of Health.)

**Editor's Note:** Antimony is often contained in the binding between the enamel and metal of older utensils. Citric acid can dissolve the binding behind a worn enamel coat, releasing sufficient antimony to cause toxic symptoms.

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| Area                    | Brucel-<br>losis | Infectious Hepatitis<br>including Serum Hepatitis |                   |                      |                      |       | Meningococcal<br>Infections |            |      | Tetanus |      |
|-------------------------|------------------|---|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------|-----------------------------|------------|------|---------|------|
|                         |                  | Total<br>incl. unk.                               | Under<br>20 years | 20 years<br>and over | Cumulative<br>Totals |       |                             | Cumulative |      |         | Cum. |
|                         | 1965             | 1965  | 1965              | 1965                 | 1965                 | 1964  | 1965                        | 1965       | 1964 | 1965    | 1965 |
| UNITED STATES...        | 7                | 770   | 382               | 341                  | 2,254                | 2,366 | 71                          | 198        | 155  | 3       | 11   |
| NEW ENGLAND.....        | -                | 44  | 23                | 17                   | 137                  | 330   | 2                           | 8          | 5    | -       | 1    |
| Maine.....              | -                | 10  | 5                 | 3                    | 29                   | 128   | -                           | 1          | -    | -       | -    |
| New Hampshire.....      | -                | 2   | 2                 | -                    | 11                   | 44    | -                           | -          | -    | -       | 1    |
| Vermont.....            | -                | 7   | 2                 | 5                    | 12                   | 44    | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| Massachusetts.....      | -                | 8   | 5                 | 2                    | 47                   | 48    | 1                           | 5          | 1    | -       | -    |
| Rhode Island.....       | -                | 6   | 4                 | 2                    | 12                   | 15    | -                           | 1          | -    | -       | -    |
| Connecticut.....        | -                | 11  | 5                 | 5                    | 26                   | 51    | 1                           | 1          | 4    | -       | -    |
| MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....    | -                | 162   | 77                | 85                   | 443                  | 535   | 8                           | 27         | 22   | 1       | 1    |
| New York City.....      | -                | 30  | 7                 | 23                   | 73                   | 78    | 3                           | 7          | 5    | -       | -    |
| New York, Up-State..... | -                | 71  | 44                | 27                   | 211                  | 278   | 1                           | 6          | 9    | 1       | 1    |
| New Jersey.....         | -                | 19  | 4                 | 15                   | 57                   | 55    | 2                           | 8          | 2    | -       | -    |
| Pennsylvania.....       | -                | 42  | 22                | 20                   | 102                  | 124   | 2                           | 6          | 6    | -       | -    |
| EAST NORTH CENTRAL...   | -                | 111   | 65                | 39                   | 382                  | 301   | 7                           | 22         | 16   | -       | -    |
| Ohio.....               | -                | 34  | 22                | 10                   | 122                  | 101   | 2                           | 10         | 6    | -       | -    |
| Indiana.....            | -                | -   | -                 | -                    | 8                    | 13    | 2                           | 2          | 1    | -       | -    |
| Illinois.....           | -                | 20  | 11                | 9                    | 74                   | 34    | 1                           | 6          | 3    | -       | -    |
| Michigan.....           | -                | 45  | 26                | 19                   | 148                  | 139   | 1                           | 1          | 5    | -       | -    |
| Wisconsin.....          | -                | 12  | 6                 | 1                    | 30                   | 14    | 1                           | 3          | 1    | -       | -    |
| WEST NORTH CENTRAL...   | 6                | 52  | 31                | 21                   | 161                  | 146   | 5                           | 13         | 5    | -       | 2    |
| Minnesota.....          | -                | 11  | 6                 | 5                    | 14                   | 5     | 2                           | 2          | 2    | -       | 1    |
| Iowa.....               | 3                | 21  | 13                | 8                    | 86                   | 25    | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| Missouri.....           | 3                | 6   | 2                 | 4                    | 26                   | 31    | 2                           | 6          | 2    | -       | 1    |
| North Dakota.....       | -                | 1   | 1                 | -                    | 1                    | 1     | -                           | 3          | 1    | -       | -    |
| South Dakota.....       | -                | -   | -                 | -                    | 2                    | 12    | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| Nebraska.....           | -                | -   | -                 | -                    | 3                    | 7     | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| Kansas.....             | -                | 13  | 9                 | 4                    | 29                   | 65    | 1                           | 2          | -    | -       | -    |
| SOUTH ATLANTIC.....     | -                | 68  | 34                | 31                   | 234                  | 205   | 20                          | 45         | 42   | 1       | 5    |
| Delaware.....           | -                | 1   | -                 | 1                    | 4                    | 2     | 1                           | 2          | -    | -       | -    |
| Maryland.....           | -                | 18  | 10                | 8                    | 45                   | 36    | 2                           | 2          | 3    | -       | -    |
| Dist. of Columbia..     | -                | 1   | -                 | 1                    | 2                    | 2     | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| Virginia.....           | -                | 11  | 2                 | 7                    | 44                   | 22    | 3                           | 6          | 4    | 1       | 1    |
| West Virginia.....      | -                | 16  | 11                | 5                    | 48                   | 23    | 1                           | 3          | 4    | -       | -    |
| North Carolina.....     | -                | 3   | 1                 | 2                    | 23                   | 43    | 3                           | 5          | 6    | -       | -    |
| South Carolina.....     | -                | 3   | 2                 | 1                    | 9                    | 4     | 3                           | 3          | 7    | -       | -    |
| Georgia.....            | -                | 1   | -                 | 1                    | 19                   | 5     | 2                           | 11         | 6    | -       | 3    |
| Florida.....            | -                | 14  | 8                 | 5                    | 40                   | 68    | 5                           | 13         | 12   | -       | 1    |
| EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...   | -                | 63  | 34                | 25                   | 131                  | 176   | 3                           | 14         | 12   | -       | -    |
| Kentucky.....           | -                | 23  | 12                | 8                    | 44                   | 84    | -                           | 7          | 4    | -       | -    |
| Tennessee.....          | -                | 26  | 18                | 7                    | 48                   | 56    | 2                           | 4          | 6    | -       | -    |
| Alabama.....            | -                | 10  | 4                 | 6                    | 27                   | 26    | 1                           | 3          | 2    | -       | -    |
| Mississippi.....        | -                | 4   | -                 | 4                    | 12                   | 10    | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...   | -                | 85  | 46                | 35                   | 239                  | 133   | 8                           | 24         | 21   | 1       | 1    |
| Arkansas.....           | -                | 8   | 3                 | 5                    | 25                   | 17    | -                           | 2          | 1    | -       | -    |
| Louisiana.....          | -                | 19  | 8                 | 11                   | 36                   | 17    | 2                           | 6          | 6    | -       | -    |
| Oklahoma.....           | -                | 4   | 1                 | 3                    | 9                    | 7     | 2                           | 5          | 2    | -       | -    |
| Texas.....              | -                | 54  | 34                | 16                   | 169                  | 92    | 4                           | 11         | 12   | 1       | 1    |
| MOUNTAIN.....           | 1                | 39  | 12                | 10                   | 134                  | 167   | 3                           | 6          | 11   | -       | -    |
| Montana.....            | -                | 3   | 3                 | -                    | 10                   | 17    | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| Idaho.....              | -                | 3   | -                 | -                    | 28                   | 14    | -                           | -          | 1    | -       | -    |
| Wyoming.....            | -                | 7   | 2                 | 3                    | 13                   | 3     | -                           | -          | 1    | -       | -    |
| Colorado.....           | -                | 6   | 3                 | 3                    | 9                    | 30    | 1                           | 1          | 3    | -       | -    |
| New Mexico.....         | -                | 7   | 2                 | 2                    | 28                   | 39    | 2                           | 5          | 5    | -       | -    |
| Arizona.....            | -                | 7   | -                 | -                    | 31                   | 29    | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| Utah.....               | 1                | 6   | 2                 | 2                    | 15                   | 31    | -                           | -          | 1    | -       | -    |
| Nevada.....             | -                | -   | -                 | -                    | -                    | 4     | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |
| PACIFIC.....            | -                | 146   | 60                | 78                   | 393                  | 373   | 15                          | 39         | 21   | -       | 1    |
| Washington.....         | -                | 17  | 6                 | 11                   | 33                   | 47    | -                           | -          | 2    | -       | -    |
| Oregon.....             | -                | 18  | 6                 | 12                   | 47                   | 38    | -                           | 1          | -    | -       | -    |
| California.....         | -                | 103   | 48                | 55                   | 277                  | 264   | 15                          | 37         | 18   | -       | 1    |
| Alaska.....             | -                | 8   | -                 | -                    | 36                   | 14    | -                           | 1          | -    | -       | -    |
| Hawaii.....             | -                | -   | -                 | -                    | -                    | 10    | -                           | -          | 1    | -       | -    |
| Puerto Rico             | -                | 9   | 5                 | 4                    | 11                   | 10    | -                           | -          | -    | -       | -    |

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| Area                    | Measles |            |        | Strept.<br>Sore Th. &<br>Scarlet Fev. | Tularemia |      | Typhoid Fever |      | Rabies in<br>Animals |      |  |
|-------------------------|---------|------------|--------|---------------------------------------|-----------|------|---------------|------|----------------------|------|--|
|                         | 1965    | Cumulative |        |                                       | 1965      | 1965 | 1965          | 1965 | 1965                 | 1965 |  |
|                         |         | 1965       | 1964   |                                       |           |      |               |      |                      |      |  |
| UNITED STATES...        | 6,805   | 18,754     | 14,819 | 9,541                                 | 11        | 24   | 9             | 13   | 93                   | 273  |  |
| NEW ENGLAND.....        | 1,584   | 5,331      | 816    | 976                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | 3                    | 5    |  |
| Maine.....              | 203     | 698        | 75     | 158                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| New Hampshire.....      | 28      | 115        | 5      | -                                     | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Vermont.....            | -       | 20         | 207    | 3                                     | -         | -    | -             | -    | 3                    | 4    |  |
| Massachusetts.....      | 991     | 2,957      | 189    | 102                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Rhode Island.....       | 209     | 571        | 37     | 45                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Connecticut.....        | 153     | 970        | 303    | 668                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | 1    |  |
| MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....    | 238     | 660        | 2,861  | 452                                   | -         | -    | 2             | 2    | 3                    | 10   |  |
| New York City.....      | 32      | 99         | 1,192  | 16                                    | -         | -    | 1             | 1    | -                    | -    |  |
| New York, up-State..... | 50      | 207        | 567    | 261                                   | -         | -    | 1             | 1    | 3                    | 8    |  |
| New Jersey.....         | 59      | 113        | 458    | 70                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Pennsylvania.....       | 97      | 241        | 644    | 105                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | 2    |  |
| EAST NORTH CENTRAL...   | 1,286   | 3,017      | 2,645  | 992                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | 3                    | 13   |  |
| Ohio.....               | 361     | 658        | 364    | 107                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Indiana.....            | 89      | 142        | 557    | 159                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | 1                    | 4    |  |
| Illinois.....           | 36      | 92         | 987    | 148                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Michigan.....           | 583     | 1,526      | 482    | 400                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | 2                    | 4    |  |
| Wisconsin.....          | 217     | 599        | 255    | 178                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | 5    |  |
| WEST NORTH CENTRAL...   | 413     | 1,238      | 381    | 370                                   | 1         | 2    | -             | -    | 19                   | 55   |  |
| Minnesota.....          | 7       | 15         | 3      | 14                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | 5                    | 13   |  |
| Iowa.....               | 143     | 573        | 104    | 69                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | 5                    | 17   |  |
| Missouri.....           | 47      | 129        | 32     | 29                                    | 1         | 1    | -             | -    | 6                    | 10   |  |
| North Dakota.....       | 150     | 427        | 239    | 127                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | 6    |  |
| South Dakota.....       | -       | 16         | 3      | 45                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | 2                    | 3    |  |
| Nebraska.....           | 66      | 78         | -      | -                                     | -         | -    | -             | -    | 1                    | 4    |  |
| Kansas.....             | NN      | NN         | NN     | 86                                    | -         | 1    | -             | -    | -                    | 2    |  |
| SOUTH ATLANTIC.....     | 1,254   | 2,886      | 1,789  | 1,263                                 | 4         | 9    | 4             | 5    | 17                   | 39   |  |
| Delaware.....           | 15      | 66         | 20     | 21                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Maryland.....           | 11      | 29         | 303    | 96                                    | -         | -    | 3             | 3    | 1                    | 1    |  |
| Dist. of Columbia.....  | -       | -          | 27     | 13                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Virginia.....           | 329     | 485        | 345    | 332                                   | 1         | 3    | -             | -    | 11                   | 33   |  |
| West Virginia.....      | 836     | 2,102      | 614    | 525                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | 1                    | 1    |  |
| North Carolina.....     | 6       | 56         | 48     | 14                                    | -         | -    | 1             | 2    | -                    | -    |  |
| South Carolina.....     | 4       | 21         | 271    | 23                                    | -         | -    | 2             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Georgia.....            | 17      | 28         | 49     | 30                                    | 3         | 4    | -             | -    | 1                    | 1    |  |
| Florida.....            | 36      | 99         | 112    | 209                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | 3                    | 3    |  |
| EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...   | 440     | 999        | 2,226  | 1,412                                 | 3         | 5    | 1             | 1    | 25                   | 98   |  |
| Kentucky.....           | 49      | 59         | 1,253  | 85                                    | -         | 1    | -             | -    | -                    | 5    |  |
| Tennessee.....          | 248     | 659        | 855    | 1,210                                 | 2         | 3    | -             | -    | 23                   | 88   |  |
| Alabama.....            | 107     | 169        | 89     | 81                                    | 1         | 1    | 1             | 1    | 2                    | 5    |  |
| Mississippi.....        | 36      | 112        | 29     | 36                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...   | 655     | 1,507      | 859    | 829                                   | 3         | 6    | 1             | 3    | 17                   | 38   |  |
| Arkansas.....           | 4       | 6          | 29     | 12                                    | 1         | 3    | -             | 2    | 3                    | 5    |  |
| Louisiana.....          | -       | 1          | 1      | 3                                     | -         | -    | -             | -    | 5                    | 11   |  |
| Oklahoma.....           | 12      | 17         | 12     | 76                                    | 2         | 3    | 1             | 1    | 4                    | 8    |  |
| Texas.....              | 639     | 1,483      | 817    | 738                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | 5                    | 14   |  |
| MOUNTAIN.....           | 434     | 1,722      | 711    | 1,381                                 | -         | 2    | 1             | 1    | 1                    | 5    |  |
| Montana.....            | 102     | 570        | 227    | 83                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Idaho.....              | 99      | 295        | 106    | 197                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Wyoming.....            | 2       | 56         | 6      | 43                                    | -         | -    | 1             | 1    | -                    | -    |  |
| Colorado.....           | 64      | 245        | 63     | 477                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| New Mexico.....         | 4       | 51         | 42     | 210                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Arizona.....            | 13      | 43         | 172    | 183                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Utah.....               | 150     | 459        | 65     | 188                                   | -         | 2    | -             | -    | 1                    | 5    |  |
| Nevada.....             | -       | 3          | 30     | -                                     | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| PACIFIC.....            | 501     | 1,394      | 2,531  | 1,866                                 | -         | -    | -             | 1    | 5                    | 10   |  |
| Washington.....         | 184     | 325        | 1,068  | 353                                   | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Oregon.....             | 61      | 365        | 331    | 30                                    | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| California.....         | 177     | 526        | 873    | 1,378                                 | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |
| Alaska.....             | 16      | 25         | 235    | 4                                     | -         | -    | -             | -    | 5                    | 10   |  |
| Hawaii.....             | 63      | 153        | 24     | 101                                   | -         | -    | -             | 1    | -                    | -    |  |
| Puerto Rico             | 26      | 84         | 189    | 8                                     | -         | -    | -             | -    | -                    | -    |  |

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Week No. 3 Table 4. DEATHS IN 122 UNITED STATES CITIES FOR WEEK ENDED JANUARY 23, 1965

(By place of occurrence and week of filing certificate. Excludes fetal deaths)

| Area                 | All Causes  |                      | Pneumonia<br>and<br>Influenza<br>All Ages | Under<br>1 year<br>All<br>Causes | Area                    | All Causes  |                      | Pneumonia<br>and<br>Influenza<br>All Ages | Under<br>1 year<br>All<br>Causes |
|----------------------|-------------|----------------------|---|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|----------------------|---|----------------------------------|
|                      | All<br>Ages | 65 years<br>and over |   |                                  |                         | All<br>Ages | 65 years<br>and over |   |                                  |
| NEW ENGLAND:         |             |                      |   |                                  | SOUTH ATLANTIC:         |             |                      |   |                                  |
| Boston, Mass.        | 795         | 521                  | 50  | 38                               | Atlanta, Ga.            | 1,201       | 618                  | 39  | 70                               |
| Bridgeport, Conn.    | 229         | 129                  | 13  | 13                               | Baltimore, Md.          | 132         | 64                   | 3   | 9                                |
| Cambridge, Mass.     | 57          | 42                   | 13  | 1                                | Charlotte, N. C.        | 284         | 135                  | 4   | 24                               |
| Fall River, Mass.    | 41          | 28                   | 1   | 1                                | Jacksonville, Fla.      | 55          | 28                   | 3   | 5                                |
| Hartford, Conn.      | 31          | 23                   | 1   | 2                                | Miami, Fla.             | 79          | 37                   | 2   | 4                                |
| Lowell, Mass.        | 54          | 33                   | -   | 4                                | Norfolk, Va.            | 78          | 38                   | -   | 4                                |
| Lynn, Mass.          | 32          | 18                   | 1   | 5                                | Richmond, Va.           | 44          | 15                   | 2   | 5                                |
| New Bedford, Mass.   | 36          | 26                   | 4   | -                                | Savannah, Ga.           | 99          | 56                   | 1   | 5                                |
| New Haven, Conn.     | 23          | 14                   | 2   | 2                                | St. Petersburg, Fla.    | 32          | 12                   | 1   | 1                                |
| Providence, R. I.    | 64          | 43                   | -   | 1                                | Tampa, Fla.             | 83          | 69                   | 1   | 1                                |
| Somerville, Mass.    | 60          | 42                   | 3   | 2                                | Washington, D. C.       | 88          | 53                   | 11  | 3                                |
| Springfield, Mass.   | 20          | 14                   | -   | 2                                | Wilmington, Del.        | 184         | 87                   | 10  | 9                                |
| Waterbury, Conn.     | 57          | 40                   | 6   | 1                                |                         | 43          | 24                   | 1   | -                                |
| Worcester, Mass.     | 29          | 22                   | -   | -                                |                         |             |                      |   |                                  |
|                      | 62          | 47                   | 6   | 4                                | EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:     | 643         | 340                  | 25  | 44                               |
| MIDDLE ATLANTIC:     | 3,765       | 2,258                | 181                                       | 188                              | Birmingham, Ala.        | 82          | 38                   | 1   | 6                                |
| Albany, N. Y.        | 57          | 40                   | -   | 3                                | Chattanooga, Tenn.      | 31          | 21                   | 3   | 2                                |
| Allentown, Pa.       | 45          | 30                   | 3   | -                                | Knoxville, Tenn.        | 41          | 22                   | 1   | -                                |
| Buffalo, N. Y.       | 174         | 105                  | 4   | 15                               | Louisville, Ky.         | 171         | 95                   | 7   | 13                               |
| Camden, N. J.        | 32          | 19                   | 6   | 2                                | Memphis, Tenn.          | 132         | 63                   | 6   | 11                               |
| Elizabeth, N. J.     | 42          | 23                   | 3   | 6                                | Mobile, Ala.            | 54          | 27                   | 2   | 6                                |
| Erie, Pa.            | 44          | 28                   | 3   | -                                | Montgomery, Ala.        | 45          | 19                   | 3   | 2                                |
| Jersey City, N. J.   | 68          | 41                   | 3   | 2                                | Nashville, Tenn.        | 87          | 55                   | 2   | 4                                |
| Newark, N. J.        | 106         | 52                   | 7   | 11                               | WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:     | 1,236       | 615                  | 73  | 91                               |
| New York City, N. Y. | 1,946       | 1,179                | 80  | 82                               | Austin, Tex.            | 46          | 23                   | 13  | 3                                |
| Paterson, N. J.      | 41          | 20                   | 8   | 3                                | Baton Rouge, La.        | 29          | 15                   | 1   | 3                                |
| Philadelphia, Pa.    | 562         | 307                  | 23  | 38                               | Corpus Christi, Tex.    | 17          | 11                   | 2   | 1                                |
| Pittsburgh, Pa.      | 202         | 121                  | 7   | 5                                | Dallas, Tex.            | 162         | 75                   | 4   | 8                                |
| Reading, Pa.         | 60          | 45                   | 6   | -                                | El Paso, Tex.           | 40          | 16                   | 2   | 3                                |
| Rochester, N. Y.     | 109         | 73                   | 9   | 4                                | Fort Worth, Tex.        | 77          | 43                   | 4   | 1                                |
| Schenectady, N. Y.   | 25          | 11                   | -   | 2                                | Houston, Tex.           | 256         | 117                  | 11  | 13                               |
| Scranton, Pa.        | 39          | 26                   | 1   | 1                                | Little Rock, Ark.       | 56          | 28                   | 6   | 3                                |
| Syracuse, N. Y.      | 78          | 49                   | 3   | 6                                | New Orleans, La.        | 213         | 107                  | 12  | 18                               |
| Trenton, N. J.       | 68          | 41                   | 7   | 3                                | Oklahoma City, Okla.    | 103         | 52                   | 4   | 7                                |
| Utica, N. Y.         | 28          | 23                   | 4   | -                                | San Antonio, Tex.       | 118         | 64                   | 4   | 16                               |
| Yonkers, N. Y.       | 39          | 25                   | 4   | 5                                | Shreveport, La.         | 52          | 22                   | 4   | 8                                |
|                      |             |                      |   |                                  | Tulsa, Okla.            | 67          | 42                   | 6   | 7                                |
| EAST NORTH CENTRAL:  | 2,650       | 1,485                | 115                                       | 174                              | MOUNTAIN:               | 442         | 252                  | 19  | 31                               |
| Akron, Ohio          | 64          | 30                   | 1   | 5                                | Albuquerque, N. Mex.    | 43          | 22                   | 6   | 9                                |
| Canton, Ohio         | 40          | 31                   | 9   | -                                | Colorado Springs, Colo. | 19          | 8                    | 1   | 1                                |
| Chicago, Ill.        | 789         | 412                  | 42  | 66                               | Denver, Colo.           | 134         | 83                   | 5   | 6                                |
| Cincinnati, Ohio     | 147         | 84                   | 6   | 8                                | Ogden, Utah             | 18          | 12                   | 2   | 2                                |
| Cleveland, Ohio      | 244         | 143                  | 4   | 17                               | Phoenix, Ariz.          | 107         | 57                   | 4   | 6                                |
| Columbus, Ohio       | 122         | 72                   | -   | 6                                | Pueblo, Colo.           | 19          | 7                    | -   | 3                                |
| Dayton, Ohio         | 82          | 44                   | 3   | 6                                | Salt Lake City, Utah*   | 55          | 33                   | 1   | 4                                |
| Detroit, Mich.       | 350         | 189                  | 22  | 23                               | Tucson, Ariz.           | 47          | 30                   | -   | -                                |
| Evansville, Ind.     | 46          | 31                   | -   | 4                                |                         |             |                      |   |                                  |
| Flint, Mich.         | 41          | 26                   | 2   | -                                | PACIFIC:                | 1,825       | 1,122                | 52  | 96                               |
| Fort Wayne, Ind.     | 38          | 25                   | 2   | 2                                | Berkeley, Calif.        | 12          | 9                    | -   | -                                |
| Gary, Ind.           | 24          | 6                    | 2   | 5                                | Fresno, Calif.          | 60          | 34                   | 2   | 2                                |
| Grand Rapids, Mich.  | 54          | 38                   | 6   | -                                | Glendale, Calif.        | 43          | 34                   | -   | 1                                |
| Indianapolis, Ind.   | 188         | 106                  | 5   | 11                               | Honolulu, Hawaii        | 50          | 24                   | -   | 8                                |
| Madison, Wis.        | 32          | 19                   | -   | 1                                | Long Beach, Calif.      | 64          | 51                   | 2   | -                                |
| Milwaukee, Wis.      | 118         | 75                   | 1   | 8                                | Los Angeles, Calif.     | 688         | 410                  | 24  | 43                               |
| Peoria, Ill.         | 35          | 14                   | 1   | 4                                | Oakland, Calif.         | 78          | 49                   | -   | 3                                |
| Rockford, Ill.       | 37          | 20                   | 6   | 2                                | Pasadena, Calif.        | 36          | 26                   | -   | -                                |
| South Bend, Ind.     | 36          | 16                   | 1   | 1                                | Portland, Oreg.         | 119         | 68                   | 4   | 11                               |
| Toledo, Ohio         | 94          | 60                   | 2   | 2                                | Sacramento, Calif.      | 72          | 41                   | 1   | -                                |
| Youngstown, Ohio     | 69          | 44                   | -   | 3                                | San Diego, Calif.       | 119         | 69                   | 5   | 12                               |
|                      |             |                      |   |                                  | San Francisco, Calif.   | 210         | 134                  | 8   | 8                                |
| WEST NORTH CENTRAL:  | 921         | 529                  | 28  | 71                               | San Jose, Calif.        | 34          | 21                   | 2   | 2                                |
| Des Moines, Iowa     | 51          | 31                   | 2   | 2                                | Seattle, Wash.          | 165         | 99                   | 2   | 4                                |
| Duluth, Minn.        | 34          | 16                   | -   | 2                                | Spokane, Wash.          | 44          | 31                   | -   | 1                                |
| Kansas City, Kans.   | 44          | 21                   | 2   | 8                                | Tacoma, Wash.           | 31          | 22                   | 2   | 1                                |
| Kansas City, Mo.     | 128         | 80                   | 1   | 11                               |                         |             |                      |   |                                  |
| Lincoln, Nebr.       | 30          | 18                   | 1   | 2                                | Total                   | 13,478      | 7,740                | 582                                       | 803                              |
| Minneapolis, Minn.   | 144         | 101                  | 4   | 9                                |                         |             |                      |   |                                  |
| Omaha, Nebr.         | 74          | 43                   | -   | 6                                |                         |             |                      |   |                                  |
| St. Louis, Mo.       | 252         | 142                  | 13  | 16                               |                         |             |                      |   |                                  |
| St. Paul, Minn.      | 98          | 56                   | -   | 11                               |                         |             |                      |   |                                  |
| Wichita, Kans.       | 66          | 21                   | 5   | 4                                |                         |             |                      |   |                                  |

Cumulative Totals  
including reported corrections for previous weeks

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|--|--------|
| All Causes, All Ages -----             | 41,936 |
| All Causes, Age 65 and over-----       | 23,810 |
| Pneumonia and Influenza, All Ages----- | 1,947  |
| All Causes, Under 1 Year of Age-----   | 2,526  |

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